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FOR DI, BRASS KNOB, DOCR, DM4, DIM, SAC HQS, OMAHA. FROM NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER. SUBJECT: FILM EVALUATION MISSION 3635.

1. CAMERA B 11 WAS USED IN MISSION 3635 FLOWN ON 18 JUNE 1963; PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY LAUGHLIN.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE: THE RESOLUTION IS GOOD AND THE EXPOSURE IS ADEQUATE.

3. 9R SIDE: HEAVY BASE SCRATCHES OCCUR ON FRAMES 359, 474, 484, 494, 495, AND INTERMITTENTLY ON FRAMES 611-915. A SERIES OF THIN, WAVERING PLUS DENSITY STREAKS ARE NOTICEABLE ON A MAJORITY OF THE FRAMES THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. THESE DO NOT SERIOUSLY IMPAIR IMAGERY. TITLING TRANSFER AND SMEAR OCCUR INTERMITTENTLY THROUGHOUT THE FILM. POSSIBLE CAMERA ROLLER STATIC OCCURS ON BOTH FILM EDGES OF FRAMES 1-7.

4. 9L SIDE: HEAVY BASE SCRATCHES OCCUR ON FRAMES 14-22.

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A COMET-SHAPED PIECE OF EMULSION 3/4 INCH LONG WAS PULLED FROM FRAME 607. AN INTERMITTENT PLUS DENSITY STREAK OCCURS APPROXIMATELY 3.6 INCHES IN FROM THE OUTBOARD EDGE OF THE FILM. INK SPOTS OCCUR IN THE FORMAT AREA OF FRAMES 663, 671, 672, 673, 707, 887. POSSIBLE CAMERA ROLLER STATIC OCCURS ALONG THE OUTBOARD EDGE OF FRAMES 1-100 AND ALONG THE INBOARD EDGE THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. THE WIDTH AND POSITION OF THESE MARKS COINCIDE WITH THAT PORTION OF THE FILM THAT COMES IN CONTACT WITH THE PRESSURE ROLLER IN THE CAMERA. A SMALL CRESCENT-SHAPED MINUS DENSITY STREAK APPROXIMATELY 0.2 INCHES LONG, ASSOCIATED WITH A SMALL PLUS DENSITY FOG PATCH APPROXIMATELY 0.2 INCHES IN DIAMETER, OCCURS INTERMITTENTLY 3.2 INCHES FROM THE INBOARD EDGE ON SEVERAL HUNDRED FRAMES. THIS MARK IS PROBABLY CAMERA INDUCED AND IS POSSIBLY ASSOCIATED WITH THE EDGE OF THE SENSOR ROLLER. OCCASIONALLY A FINE PLUS DENSITY STREAK CONNECTS THESE MARKS FOR SEVERAL FRAMES.

5. NO MAJOR CAMERA MALFUNCTIONS OR PROCESSING PROBLEMS ARE PRESENT IN THIS MISSION.

6. POSITIVE: PI SUITABILITY IS GOOD WHERE NOT DEGRADED BY WEATHER, SCRATCHES, AND STATIC NOTED ON THE ORIGINAL NEGATIVE. PRINTING AND PROCESSING ARE GOOD.

7. CLOUDS COVER APPROXIMATELY 40 PERCENT OF THIS MISSION.

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